

PRODUCTION SUMMARY NO. 4 : SHEEP AND LAMBS SLAUGHTERED
AND PRODUCTION AND DISPOSALS OF MUTTON AND LAMB - SEPTEMBER, 1942.
 (Note : Subject to revision)

TABLE I - NUMBER OF SHEEP AND LAMBS SLAUGHTERED
 (Slaughtering for boiling down are excluded)

State	September		9 months ended	
	1942	1941	1942	1941
<u>SHEEP SLAUGHTERED.</u>				
New South Wales ..	223,254	216,581	2,107,523	1,818,594
Victoria ..	199,842	331,144	1,923,422	2,729,263
Queensland ..	75,937	81,250	656,145	661,462
South Australia ..	72,150	78,338	657,446	797,161
Western Australia ..	64,779	64,413	544,009	587,366
Tasmania ..	17,878	21,942	160,355	173,577
Northern Territory ..	272	328	1,941	2,431
Australian Capital Territory ..	2,505	2,505	20,733	22,545
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	656,617	796,501	6,071,574	6,792,399
<u>LAMBS SLAUGHTERED.</u>				
New South Wales ..	310,672	401,150	1,944,867	2,461,795
Victoria ..	267,159	484,805	1,692,740	2,597,331
Queensland ..	10,299	8,406	76,674	84,944
South Australia ..	130,861	142,124	504,204	572,784
Western Australia ..	63,691	47,336	279,307	252,993
Tasmania ..	8,851	12,934	130,059	155,283
Northern Territory ..	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory ..	1,368	1,369	11,715	12,321
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	792,901	1,098,124	4,639,566	6,137,451
<u>TOTAL SHEEP AND LAMBS SLAUGHTERED.</u>				
New South Wales ..	533,926	617,731	4,052,390	4,280,389
Victoria ..	467,001	815,949	3,616,162	5,326,594
Queensland ..	86,236	89,656	732,819	746,406
South Australia ..	203,011	220,462	1,161,650	1,369,945
Western Australia ..	128,470	111,749	823,316	840,359
Tasmania ..	26,729	34,876	290,414	328,860
Northern Territory ..	272	328	1,941	2,431
Australian Capital Territory ..	3,873	3,874	32,448	34,866
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	1,449,518*	1,894,625	10,711,140	12,929,850

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TABLE II : PRODUCTION OF MUTTON AND LAMB
(Unit : Ton)

State	September		9 months ended September	
	1948	1949	1948	1949
<u>PRODUCTION OF MUTTON</u>				
New South Wales ..	4,562	4,484	41,610	35,373
Victoria ..	3,905	6,873	37,584	51,981
Queensland ..	1,336	1,572	12,099	12,685
South Australia ..	1,522	1,749	13,089	16,445
Western Australia ..	1,134	1,323	10,113	11,092
Tasmania ..	363	447	3,266	3,534
Northern Territory ..	8	7	46	55
Australian Capital Territory ..	49	50	405	447
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	12,906	16,505	118,212	131,612
<u>PRODUCTION OF LAMB</u>				
New South Wales ..	5,123	6,948	31,428	40,060
Victoria ..	4,028	7,891	25,520	40,937
Queensland ..	160	122	1,126	1,264
South Australia ..	2,162	2,157	7,979	9,052
Western Australia ..	892	571	3,899	3,446
Tasmania ..	136	213	2,143	2,562
Northern Territory ..	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory ..	22	22	186	198
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	12,523	17,924	72,281	97,519
<u>PRODUCTION OF MUTTON AND LAMB.</u>				
New South Wales ..	9,685	11,432	73,038	75,433
Victoria ..	7,933	14,764	63,104	92,918
Queensland ..	1,496	1,694	13,225	13,949
South Australia ..	3,691	3,906	21,068	25,497
Western Australia ..	2,046	1,894	14,012	14,538
Tasmania ..	499	660	5,409	6,096
Northern Territory ..	8	7	46	55
Australian Capital Territory ..	71	72	591	645
<u>AUSTRALIA:</u>	25,429	34,429	190,493	229,131

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TABLE III : PRODUCTION AND DISPOSALS OF MUTTON AND LAMB : AUSTRALIA.
(Unit : Ton)

Particulars	September		9 months ended September	
	1948	1949	1948	1949
<u>MUTTON</u>				
Stocks at commencement of period (a) ..	607	4,325	2,615	5,486
Production ..	12,906	16,905	118,212	131,612
<u>TOTAL:</u>	13,513	20,830	120,827	137,098
Overseas Exports of Frozen Mutton (b) ..	201	764	5,151	12,246
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c) ..	12,636	13,923	115,000	118,709
Stocks at end of period (a) ..	676	6,143	676	6,143
<u>TOTAL:</u>	13,513	20,830	120,827	137,098
<u>LAMB</u>				
Stocks at commencement of period (a) ..	906	4,512	10,597	17,597
Production ..	12,523	17,924	72,281	97,519
<u>TOTAL:</u>	13,429	22,436	82,878	115,116
Overseas Exports of Frozen Lamb (b) ..	282	2,211	15,311	31,707
Balance available for consumption in Australia (c) ..	8,244	9,557	62,664	72,741
Stocks at end of period (a) ..	4,903	10,668	4,903	10,668
<u>TOTAL:</u>	13,429	22,436	82,878	115,116

- (a) Stocks of frozen mutton or lamb as recorded by the Australian Meat Board.
 (b) Excludes Ships' Stores.
 (c) Includes Ships' Stores and all mutton or lamb consumed in factories whether the products were exported or otherwise.

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